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WHEREAS, Martti HEIKKILÄ, Kari KOVASIN, Karl-Erik RÖBERG, and Olavi TOUKONUMMI (hereinafter ASSIGNORS) of Haavurintie 3, Märynummi, Finland FIN-25250; Kettutie 20, Rauma, Finland FIN-26200; Venemestarinkatu 31 C11, Salo, Finland FIN-24240; and Turuntie 1153 Hajala Finland FIN-25240, respectively, have invented a certain improvement in METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR TREATING PULP for which a so-entitled U.S. national phase of PCT/FI00/00067 application for Letters Patent of the United States is being concurrently executed herewith or was filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on under Serial No.

WHEREAS, Sulzer Pumpen AG (hereinafter ASSIGNEE), a corporation of Switzerland, having an office and place of business at Zürcherstrasse 12, Winterthur, Switzerland CH-8401 is desirous of acquiring an interest therein;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the said ASSIGNORS by these presents hereby sell, assign, and transfer unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, the full and exclusive right to the said invention in the United States and all foreign countries, as described in the aforesaid application, together with the right of priority under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, Inter-American Convention Relating to Patents, Designs and Industrial Models, and any other international agreements to which the United States of America adheres, and hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent to ASSIGNEE, for its interest as ASSIGNEE, for the sole use and behoof of ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives. It is understood and agreed that ASSIGNEE'S attorneys, Nixon & Vanderhye P.C., have represented only ASSIGNEE and will continue to represent only ASSIGNEE with respect to this invention.

And, ASSIGNORS hereby agree to transfer a like interest upon request of said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, and without further remuneration, in and to any improvements, and applications for patents based thereon, growing out of or related to the said invention; and to execute any papers by ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, deemed essential to ASSIGNEE'S full protection and title in and to the invention hereby transferred.

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